

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL,
PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI**

**Original Application No. 40(T_{HC}) of 2013
And
Original Application No. 34(T_{HC}) of 2013
And
Original Application No. 36(T_{HC}) of 2013
And
Original Application No. 21(T_{HC}) of 2013**

IN THE MATTER OF:

**People for Transparency Through Kamal Anand
Vs.
State of Punjab & Ors.
And
Pathankot Welfare Society Vs. State of Punjab & Ors.
And
Rajinder Singh Vs. State of Punjab & Ors.
And
Davinder Kumar Vs. Union of India & Ors.**

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SWATANTER KUMAR, CHAIRPERSON
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE U.D. SALVI, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.N. HUSSAIN, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE MR. P. S. RAO, EXPERT MEMBER
HON'BLE MR. RANJAN CHATTERJEE, EXPERT MEMBER**

Present:

Appearance in Application No. 40(T_{HC}) of 2013	
Applicant	Appearance not given
Respondent No. 1:	Mr. Anil Soni, Advocate
Respondent No. 4:	Mr. Sandeep Khunger, Advocate and Ms. Reeta Puri, Advocate
Respondent No. 5:	Mr. A. R. Takkar, Advocate and Ms. Gurinderjit Advocate
Application No. 34(T_{HC}) of 2013	
Applicant	Appearance not given
Respondent No. 4:	Mr. Sandeep Khunger, Advocate and Ms. Reeta Puri, Advocate
Respondent No. 5 & 6:	Mr. A. R. Takkar, Advocate, Ms. Gurinderjit Advocate and Ms. Saumya Jain, Advocate
Application No. 36(T_{HC}) of 2013	
Applicant	Appearance not given
Respondent No. 3:	Mr. Sandeep Khunger, Advocate and Ms. Reeta Puri, Advocate
Respondent No. 4:	Mr. A. R. Takkar, Advocate, Ms. Gurinderjit Advocate and Ms. Saumya Jain, Advocate
Respondent No. 5:	Mr. T.S. Joseph, Advocate
Application No. 21(T_{HC}) of 2013	Appearance not given
Applicant	
Respondent No. 1:	Mr. Vikramjeet, Advocate for Ms. Neelam Rathore, Advocate
Respondent No. 3:	Mr. Rajkumar, Advocate
Respondent No 8:	Mr. A. R. Takkar, Advocate and Ms. Saumya Jain, Advocate
Respondent No 10& 11 :	Mr. Shubham Bhalla, Advocate
Respondent No 12 and 15:	Mr. Manjit Singh, Advocate
Respondent No. 16:	Mr. Devinder Pratap Singh, Advocate

Date and Remarks	Orders of the Tribunal
<p>Item No. 6 to 9 July 23, 2013</p>	<p>Secretary of Department of Local Government, Punjab and Chandigarh has filed an Affidavit along with Report. The same is taken on record.</p> <p>This Report is not comprehensive enough and does not satisfy the requirements of law and ensure the complete protection and prevention of environment.</p> <p>According to him, the entire State of Punjab has been divided into 8 clusters out of which at 3 places the work has started. However at other clusters, the matters are still pending administrative sanctions.</p> <p>It is pointed out in this Report that at Pathankot and Patiala, the administration has not been able to locate and provide land fill sites. We direct the Deputy Commissioner of these districts to immediately provide the land fill sites, which should be sites which have been duly earmarked for the purpose in consonance with the parameters with regard to identification of such sites. Let needful be done by the next date of hearing.</p> <p>We further find that a comprehensive plan needs to be prepared by the State of Punjab with regard to development plan to deal with municipal waste in all these 8 clusters. The model plan should offer:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Door to door collection of municipal waste b) Carrying on municipal waste, its transportation to the site in a more scientific manner c) Segregation by mechanical process d) Installation of incinerators e) Provision for sending of segregated recycled items to the duly approved identified unit/s, which have consent of the Pollution Control Board and scientific disposal of the residual waste upon burning of the municipal waste. <p>Wherever new modern technology is available, we grant liberty to the Secretary as well as the Pollution Control Board to modify the model plan accordingly.</p> <p>This Plan shall clearly state the financial need for the purpose and we direct the State Government to</p>

consider and approve expenditure of these accounts without any further impediments.

Let the report on model plan along with the progress on the above issues be submitted to the Tribunal within six weeks from today.

We direct the Government of Punjab to strictly comply with our Order dated 26th April, 2013 passed a an interim measures.

We make it clear that in the event of non-compliance of the Orders passed the head of the each Corporation/ Committee shall be proceed against in accordance with law.

List on 10th September, 2013.

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(Swatanter Kumar)

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(U.D. Salvi)

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(S.N. Hussain)

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(P. S. Rao)

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(Ranjan Chatterjee)

